

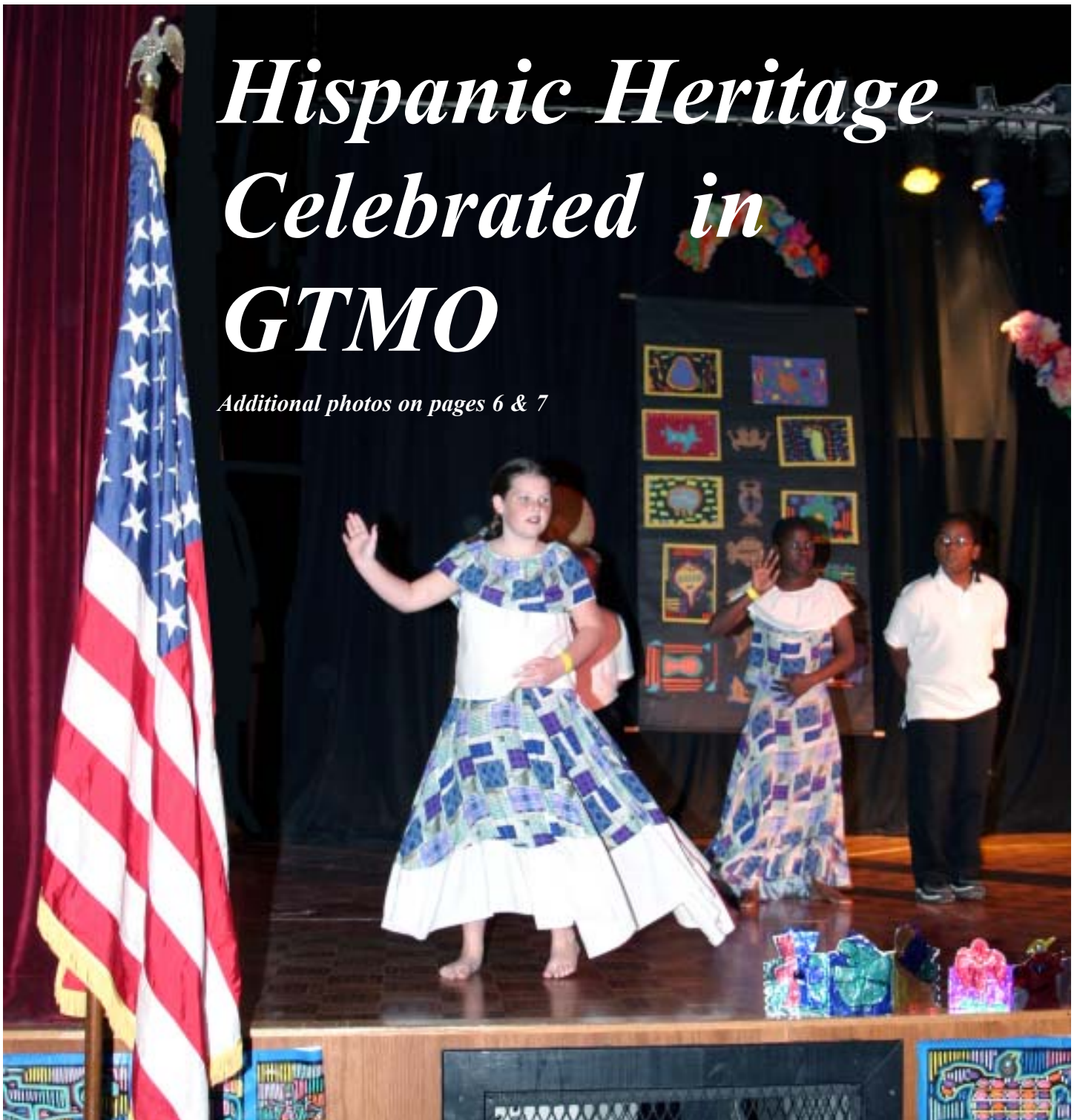


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NEWS BRIEFS

Vote for I/SAC Teacher Members

Voting to fill the three vacant teacher positions on the Installation/School Advisory Committee (I/SAC) takes place Oct. 14 from 7am to 5pm at the elementary and high schools.

Parents of students, as well as professional educators, are eligible to participate in this election. Drop by either the Elementary School or High School office and fill out a ballot. Ballots include teacher biographies and individual photos.

For more details, call the ES at 2207 or the HS at 3500.

NEX Customer Appreciation Day

The 2nd Annual NEX Customer Appreciation Day is just around the corner. This year's event is set for November 1, but planning and preparation has begun.

Currently organizations who wish to conduct fund-raisers, membership drives, distribute information or even provide a demonstration of what their organization is all about should contact Debbie at 2069. The sign-up deadline is October 15.

The NEX is also sponsoring a Chili Cook-off Competition. If you would like to enter your best chili, call Debbie to sign up.

WTS H.S. Cheerleaders Need You!

Would you or your organization like to sponsor a W.T. Sampson High School cheerleader to attend the American Cheer Express camp in November? Sponsorships available at full, half and quarter levels.

Full Sponsorship - \$115 - This covers the cost completely for one cheerleader to attend camp. In return for your sponsorship you will receive all three incentives from the list below.

Half Sponsorship - \$57.50 - This will cover half the cost of one cheerleader to attend camp. In return for your sponsorship you will receive two incentives of your choice from the list below.

Quarter Sponsorship - \$28.75 - This amount will cover ¼ of the cost of one cheerleader to attend camp. In return for your sponsorship you will receive one incentive of your choice from the list below.

Incentives - To be performed by the cheerleaders and their coaches within thirty days of payment - one car wash; one auto detail; one yard mowed

For more information, call Coach Michele Robinette at 5517.

Adopt a Service Member for the Holidays

The base chapel is coordinating volunteers who would like to open their homes to single/unaccompanied service members for

Thanksgiving and Christmas dinners.

If you would like to adopt a service member for either or both holidays, contact the chaplain's office at 2323 and provide your contact information, which holiday you are available to host and how many sailors or soldiers you would like to host.

"Ride Away From Drugs" Bike Ride Planned for Red Ribbon Week

During National Red Ribbon Week, Oct. 23 -27, anyone who can ride a bike is invited to "Ride Away From Drugs" on Saturday, Oct. 25.

The organized bike ride begins at the Downtown Lyceum at 7:30am. Bikers will travel down Sherman Avenue, around the base gym and back to the lyceum.

Plenty of refreshments and adult supervision will be on hand. Plus, each participant receives a free T-shirt from MWR. For more information, contact Petty Officers Mays or Glover at 4331 or contact the elementary school.

Pumpkin Patch Volunteers Wanted

Volunteers to support GTMO's annual "Pumpkin Patch" are needed. This year's event is a combined effort with the PWD-Seabees, Naval Hospital SPOA, COMNAVBASE Junior Enlisted Association, MWR, Girl Scouts and Boy Scouts.

Come out and have fun while supporting our community. If you can help, come to the next SPOA meeting on Oct. 17 at 11:30am at the Acey Deucey Club in the Windjammer.

Hispanic Heritage Celebration Activities

The public is invited to attend the announcement of the winners of the essay/poster contest, October 16th at 1pm in the Elementary School Gym. Entertainment includes performances of cultural dances and music. The date is changed from the 17th to the 16th to allow performances by WTS HS students.

Child Find Program

Concerned about your child's development? If so, please pick up the "Ages and Stages" assessment tool at the Primary Care Clinic (PCC) or the Child Development Center (CDC) for children 0-36 months of age.

Return the survey by 31 October to the PCC or CDC. Within the first two weeks of November you should be receiving a phone call from the PCC to discuss the survey.

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Gordon England Sworn in as 73rd Secretary of The Navy

From Secretary of the Navy Public Affairs

The Honorable Gordon R. England was sworn in as the 73rd Secretary of the Navy (SECNAV) on Wednesday, Oct 1.

England becomes only the second person in history to serve twice as the leader of the Navy Marine Corps Team and the first to serve in back to back terms. The Honorable John Mason served as the 16th Navy Secretary from 1844-1845 and 18th SECNAV from 1846-1849. England had served as the 72nd Secretary from May 2001 until January 2003, before President George W. Bush tapped him to serve as the first Deputy Secretary at the newly created Department of Homeland Security.

England said, "Our Sailors and Marines are indeed the world's finest, and I appreciate the President giving me the opportunity to again serve our men and women in uniform and their families. Working with the Congress and our great CNO, Vern Clark; Commandant, Mike Hagee; and Secretary [Donald] Rumsfeld's team, we will continue to transform our naval services and wage the global war on terrorism.

The Honorable Hansford T. Johnson, who served as Acting Secretary following England's move to Homeland Security earlier this year, has also served continuously as the Assistant Secretary of the Navy (Installations and Environment). He will continue to serve America's Sailors and Marines in that role. Johnson said, "I welcome Gordon home to his Navy Marine Corps family. It has been a distinct honor to serve as Acting Secretary during this important time in our nation's history, and I am grateful to President Bush for the opportunity to serve."

Chief of Naval Operations, Adm. Vern Clark praised both leaders. "Our institution is honored to welcome home Mr. England as Secretary of the Navy. His leadership, focus on mission accomplishment, and commitment to improving both our business practices and the quality of service for our Sailors and Marines, are valued and needed qualities as we build the future Navy.

Clark continued, "We owe a debt of gratitude to H.T. Johnson for his remarkable service as acting Secretary of the Navy. With his steady hand and commitment to Sailors



The Honorable Gordon R. England, right, receives the oath of office for the 73rd Secretary of the Navy. Administering the oath is Mr. John H. La Raia, Assistant for Administration to the Under Secretary of the Navy. U.S. Navy photo by JOC Craig P. Strawser.

and Marines, the Department of the Navy never missed a beat. We will undoubtedly continue to benefit from his continued service as Assistant Secretary of the Navy for Installations and the Environment."

Since January 2003, England has served

as the first Deputy Secretary of the Department of Homeland Security. The Department of Homeland Security was established Jan. 24, 2003, to integrate 22 different agencies with a common mission to protect the American people.

Statement from the SECNAV

"When I left our department in January, I said that I would "marvel at your achievements" and "gain strength from your example." Over the last seven months, in Iraq and around the world, you have fought the enemies of freedom and prevailed. Your courage and hardened resolve is the shield Americans rely on for their security and way of life.

The success of the Navy Marine Corps team results from that daily dedication to America. It also results from the strong leadership of servants like President Bush, Secretary Rumsfeld and Hansford T. Johnson. H.T. guided our department through a significant battle in our global war on terrorism and through our continuing transformation. He and Linda deserve our deepest gratitude. With leaders like Adm.

Clark, Gen. Hagee, MCPON Scott and Sgt. Maj. Estrada, our team is indeed blessed.

Dotty and I are pleased, proud and delighted to return to the Navy Marine Corps team. The success of our naval family is due to the quality of your work and depth of your devotion. We pledge our equal dedication to you and to your families.

In my confirmation hearing, I committed to strengthening our combat capability, improving your quality of service, recapitalizing our forces and improving business practices. Naval power 21 will continue to guide our transformation as we project persistent power, around the world and around the clock.

Working together, we will prevail in this global war on terror.

Semper fi and sail proud."

GTMO Fire Department, Sparky Spread “Get Out, Stay Out” Message

As Fire Prevention Week kicked off, personnel from the Fire Department hit the streets, going through the community with this years' theme - “Get Out and Stay Out.” GTMOs firefighters also played host to visitors from W.T. Sampson Elementary School, giving tours of Fire Station #1 and its' trucks, as well as passing out free goodies and valuable information to take home to mom and dad.

Fire Station #1 is holding an “Open House” Saturday from 11:30 to about 2pm. There are lots of activities for the children so bring the family let them learn about fire safety and have some fun, too!

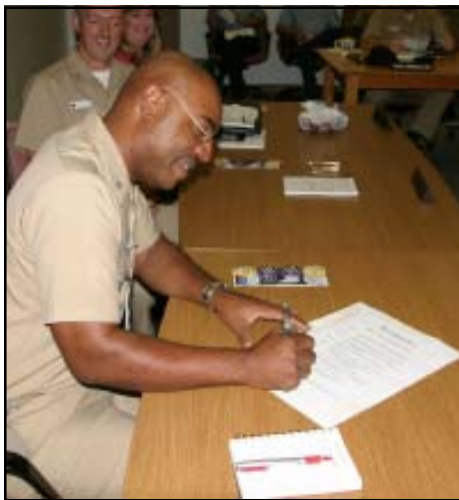


Left: Fire Prevention Week kicks off with Capt. Les McCoy accepting a fire safety information packet from Fire Chief John Mabbitt at the NEX Atrium Monday. Above: WTS Elementary students visit Station 1 and meet Sparky in the break room



Above: Two excited visitors to Station 1 hold on to their Fire Prevention packets as they prepare to board the bus back to school. Left: W.T. Sampson Kindergarten students and their sixth grade reader partners pose for a group photo with firefighters and Sparky, the Fire Prevention Mascot, in front of Station 1 following their tour.

Family Advocacy Program Leads Campaign Against Domestic Violence



NAVSTA Commanding Officer, Capt. Les McCoy signs the Domestic Violence Awareness Month Proclamation.

From Fleet and Family Support Public Affairs

October is National Domestic Violence Awareness Month, and the Family Advocacy Program (FAP) urges all service members to help stop the tragedy of family violence.

"Domestic violence hurts us all," said Master Chief Petty Officer of the Navy (SS/AW) Terry Scott. "It scars and traumatizes individuals. It disrupts families. It weakens communities. It affects unit readiness. And it costs human lives."

FAP is a Department of Defense-wide program created in 1981 to treat and prevent child abuse/neglect and domestic violence. FAP is one of many Fleet and Family Support Center (FFSC) programs designed to enhance Navy family life and improve operational readiness. FAP services are

available to assist both victims and offenders. They include prevention education classes, support groups and individual counseling. FAP also helps fight family violence by training commanders and others in leadership positions to recognize the signs of abuse, and how to respond when abuse occurs.

During this month, the FAP and FFSCs worldwide conduct awareness campaigns to educate service and family members on the impact of domestic violence and the assistance available through FAP and the centers. An example of the benefits available is the **Transitional Compensation Program**, which provides transitional monies, medical benefits and commissary benefits to military spouses and their children, if the active-duty member is separated from the service for family abuse. Therefore, even if the abuser is punished and discharged, the rest of the family doesn't have to suffer financially.

"Domestic violence is cyclical and does not only impact adult lives. It also affects our children, even if they are not direct victims of the abuse themselves," said Jena Wathen, domestic violence consultant at Navy Personnel Command. "Children who are exposed to violence between their parents are more likely to become involved in abusive relationships as adults. The earlier education and intervention take place in an individual's life, the better the chance of breaking the cycle of violence."

FAP can often help diffuse minor problems before they become volatile situations. According to FAP staff, commands look favorably on those who take the initiative to seek help before they are ordered to do so.

Domestic violence is an all-hands issue. If you are in an abusive relationship as a victim or offender and would like assistance, please contact FFSC and ask to speak with a FAP counselor or FAP Victim Advocate. You can also seek confidential information on domestic violence support services in your community by contacting the National Domestic Violence Hotline (1-800-799-7233). If you are an employee of the Department of the Navy and you witness child or spouse abuse, Navy policy dictates that it is your duty to report it to the FAP. Your information can be given anonymously.

There are 55 FFSCs and 67 delivery sites worldwide. For more information on FFSC and programs like FAP, or to locate the nearest center, visit FFSC on the Web at www.persnet.navy.mil/pers66; E-mail FFSC headquarters at mill_ffsp@navy.mil; or call the center's 24-hour information and referral hotline at (800) FSC-LINE.

Celebrate National Book Month

Millions of students, shoppers, reading group members, and book lovers of all ages are encouraged to "Fall Into a Good Book." October is National Book Month, America's annual celebration of writers and readers.

With all the competing demands for your time, the National Book Foundation, sponsor of the *National Book Awards*, invites you to set aside time for reading in the month of October-and fall into a good book.

The National Book Foundation – sponsor of the prestigious National Book Awards and an array of educational outreach programs presented year round across the country – hopes the campaign will encourage reading and awareness of great American literature.

Celebrating National Book Month starts at home. Curl up with your family and a good book, and commemorate America's annual celebration of writers and readers. Some ideas you can use with your family include:

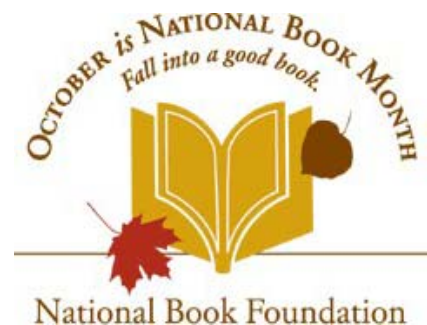
Introduce literature into family game night - "Charades" with book titles; "Name That Book"; or "Win, Lose, or Draw." It's a little variation on some old favorites.

Family trips to the local library

Family Reading Night - Set aside one night a week to read and discuss a book.

Recreate scenes from your favorite books.

Read to your children.





Hispanic Heritage Celebration



Top of page: Children from W.T. Sampson had fun performing dances from the Hispanic culture.

Above: Artwork by Gloria Soto brightened the entrance to the Windjammer Ballroom.

Right: The ballroom was filled with a large crowd as many GTMO residents enjoyed good food and great entertainment.

The annual Hispanic Heritage Association Dinner/Dance Saturday, treated all in attendance to a dazzling display of cultural information, music, songs and dances.

The GTMO community enjoyed talented local performers as they represented various Hispanic cultures.

The committee thanks all the volunteers who dedicated their time and efforts to make this annual event a great success.

Thanks also go out to the MWR Windjammer staff and their fine efforts in preparing the food for the all Hispanic menu!





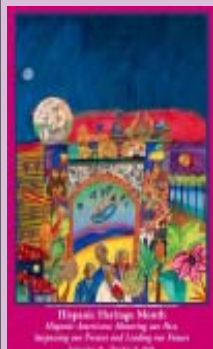
Above: President of the Hispanic Heritage Association, MA2 Jimmy Nazario (right), thanks guest speaker Capt. Jose R. Almaguer from US Naval Hospital GTMO.



Above: A local favorite at many GTMO celebrations, Marie Brewer wowed the crowd with her vocal and instrumental talents, singing "La Bamba."



Left: Showing off their dancing skills for the large crowd were Cmdr. Harold LaRoche and Janet Santiteban.



Hispanic Heritage Month 2003 Events

Hispanic Heritage Assembly
1pm, Oct. 16th
Elementary School GYM

Winners of the annual poster and essay contest will be announced (see details in the Briefs on page 2).

Youth Soccer Season Kicks-off

The Clash took on the Wizards as MWR's Youth Soccer program kicked-off Friday, Oct. 3 at Iguana Field. The season runs through Nov. 22. Volunteer coaches are working hard to emphasize total participation, maximum safety and teamwork. The children are having fun, learning about a great sport and developing their self-esteem. All GTMO residents are invited to come out to show their support and cheer on their favorite team or player. Games are played Friday evenings. To find out when and where your favorite team is playing, call the base gym at 2193.



DFAS Customers Warned About 'Look-Alike' Sites

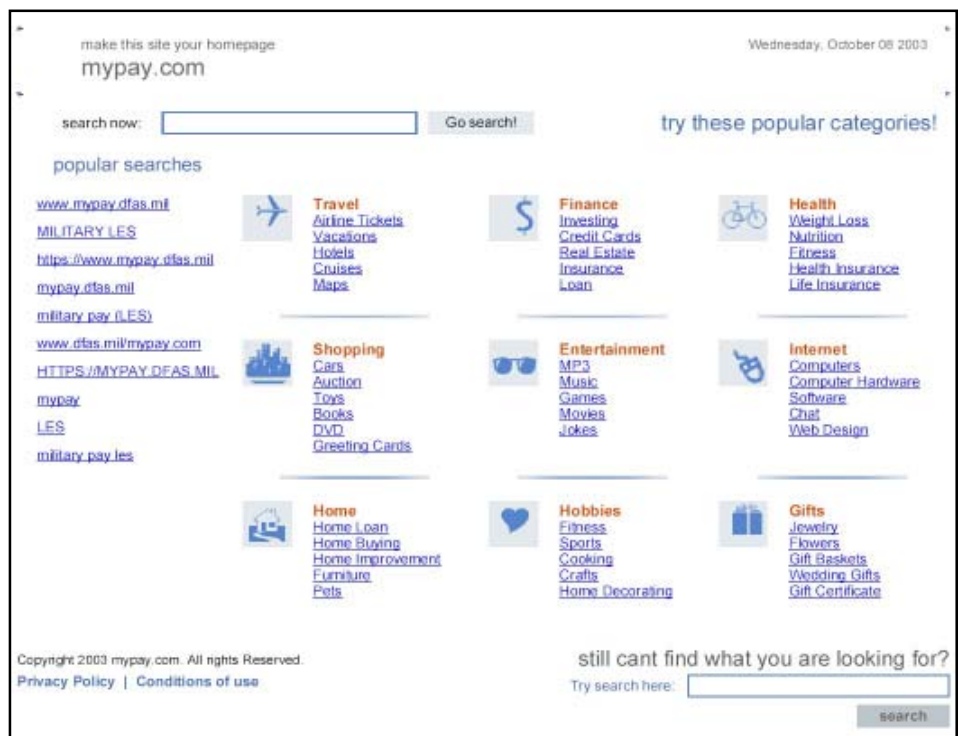
By Bryan Hubbard
Defense Finance & Accounting Service
Public Affairs

The 2 million military and civilian users of MyPay are being cautioned to use only the official MyPay site (<https://mypay.dfas.mil>) when seeking to access pay account information.

"Personal information is valuable and should be safeguarded," said Claudia L. Bogard, director of Corporate Communications for the Defense Finance and Accounting Service. "Don't provide your personal information to any Web site unless you know it can be trusted."

Look-alike sites have recently frustrated myPay customers who have been confused by accidentally finding their way to a commercial site that is in no way affiliated with DFAS or the Department of Defense.

DFAS' myPay is a secure, DFAS-operated Web site that lets active duty, National Guard and Reserve military members, civilian employees, and military retirees and annuitants take charge of their pay accounts online.



The image above was captured from the internet at [HTTP://WWW.MYPAY.COM](http://www.mypay.com) and is one of several that has been confusing DoD personnel attempting to access their pay accounts. The [HTTPS://MYPAY.DEFAS.MIL](https://mypay.defas.mil) link contained on the page does not take you to the official MyPay website. All members attempting to access their pay records should be certain to go to the official DFAS MyPay site. [<https://mypay.dfas.mil>]

“Pass the Word” October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month

Submitted by Cmdr. C. K. Gallagher
US Naval Hospital GTMO

The National Breast Cancer Awareness Month (NBCAM) campaign's "Pass the Word" program stresses the importance of sharing information about breast health and early detection of breast cancer.

The "Pass the Word" campaign is depending on the thousands of people around the United States who participate in NBCAM activities each year to "Pass the Word" about the importance of early detection of breast cancer. This October, the 17 Board of Sponsor members who make up the NBCAM coalition are calling on the general public to join in this national effort to "Pass the Word" to as many women as possible that

♥ Early detection saves lives.

♥ Mammography screening is the single most effective method of early detection and an annual mammogram is recommended for women over 40.

♥ Women should know how their breasts normally feel and report any breast change promptly to their health care provider

♥ Both breast self-examinations starting at the age of 20 and clinical breast examinations every three years for women in their 20s and 30s and every year for women 40 and older should be part of regular breast awareness activities

"This year's program, 'Pass the Word,' really sums up what is most important in October and all throughout the year," said Susan Nathanson, National Coordinator, and NBCAM. "Early detection saves lives and this campaign challenges the public to share this important message with their friends and loved ones."

To make sure this message gets nationwide attention, the Board of Sponsors of NBCAM will be part of a campaign that reaches out to the public and individuals around the country who lead programs to increase awareness about breast health and breast cancer. Many of these programs raise funds for organizations that support women with breast cancer, educate women about the importance of early detection and treatment options, and provide funds for research related to breast cancer. For the past 19 years, NBCAM has worked to raise awareness about breast cancer, particularly mammography screening, the preferred method for early detection of the disease. As a result, the mammography-screening rate has doubled since 1985.

Unfortunately, there are many women who do not access mammography screening for a number of reasons, the most common being a lack of health insurance or adequate funds to pay for a mammogram. NBCAM hopes that activities during the month of October educate women about the eligibility requirements for mammography screening and the availability of free mammography screening through the Centers for Disease Control's Early Detection and Treatment Program for Breast and Cervical Cancer (888-842-6355).

For further information about the elements of the NBCAM 2003 campaign, visit www.nbcam.org or contact Susan Nathanson, National Coordinator at 312-596-3557.

The Naval Hospital is sponsoring its 3rd Annual 5k Run/2 Mile Walk for Breast Cancer Awareness 7:30am on Monday, October 13. The event is free, but donations will be accepted and forwarded to the Susan G. Komen Foundation, the organization that started the "Race for the Cure." T-shirts are given with donations. The run/walk begins and ends at the base gym. Refreshments, prizes and a mini health fair will follow immediately after the run/walk. Pass the Word!

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**3rd Annual 5K
Run / 2-Mile
Walk for
Breast Cancer
Awareness**

**Join us in the fight to raise
awareness and find a cure!
Monday, Oct. 13
7:30 am start at the Base
Gym (7 am registration)
Health Fair, Prizes &
Refreshments
FMI, call 2393**

Worship Services

Catholic Mass
(Main Chapel) **Monday - Friday**
Daily Mass (Cobre Chapel) 1130
Friday
Holy Hour/Rosary 1700
(Cobre Chapel)
Saturday
Reconciliation 1630
Eucharist/Mass 1730
Sunday
Eucharist/Mass 0900
La Santa Misa (Spanish) 1015
Eucharistic Adoration
(Cobre Chapel) Daily 24hrs

Protestant Services
Sunday
Services - Main Chapel 1100
Praise & Worship 1830

New Life
(Main Chapel) **Sunday**
Worship Service 1245

Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints

(Sanctuary A)
Sunday
Sunday Sacrament 0900
Monday
Families Home Evening
1800
Wednesday
Ladies Relief Society 1900
Thursday
Young Women 1900

Jewish
(Fellowship Hall)
Every Friday 2000

Filipino Bible Fellowship
(Sanctuary A) **Sunday**
Worship 1800

Iglesia Ni Cristo
(Sanctuary B) **Sunday**
Worship 2000

Pentecostal Gospel Temple
(Sanctuary C) **Sunday**
Worship 0800 & 1700

Seventh Day Adventist
(Sanctuary B) **Saturday**
Divine Service 1100

Islamic Service
(Classroom 18) **Friday**
Worship 1300

United Jamacian Fellowship
(BLDG. 1036 - Next to Phoenix Cable)
Sunday Service 1100 & 1830

Camp America Chapel
Sunday
Praise & Worship 0900
Bus Transportation available at 8am,
Windward Loop and 8:15am, TK.

*For information about
Sunday School, Education
Programs, Bible Study,
Prayer Groups, etc. Call the
Chaplain's Office at 2323.*

School Lunch Menu

Oct 13 - 17

- MONDAY -

Columbus Day



No School

- TUESDAY -

Chicken Nuggets,
French Fries,
Carrots and Peas,
Seedless Grapes,
Milk

- WEDNESDAY -

Spaghetti w/Meat
Sauce, Toasted
Garlic Bread,
Califlower w/Cheese,
Fruit Gelatin,
Milk

- THURSDAY -

Oven Fried Chicken,
Vegetable Rice,
Tossed Salad,
Orange Wedges,
Milk

- FRIDAY -

Fish Sticks,
Macaroni & Cheese,
Mixed Vegetables,
Fruit Cocktail,
Milk

C.H.R.I.M.P.

Did you know?

- You can procure hazardous materials from the HAZMAT center at no cost to you! Even for personal use.
- You can turn-in excess hazardous materials to the HAZMAT center at no cost to you. Even personal household HAZMAT.
- The HAZMAT center provides courtesy storage for your hazardous materials at no cost to you.
- The HAZMAT center provides MSDS's for HAZMAT obtained from them at no cost to you.
- Un-used hazardous materials lead to expensive disposal costs. In CY02 NAVSTA GTMO paid over \$76,000 in disposal costs for excess HAZMAT. This is in addition to the original cost to procure the HAZMAT.

For more details, contact Linda Anderson. 4124 or Kenny Hendl 4491.



"The Lighthouse Historical Exhibit" is open to visitors on Saturdays and Sundays from 2 to 4pm.. The exhibit is located on Sherman Avenue next to Phillips Park and is operated by a generous volunteer staff. The actual lighthouse is not open to visitors and we ask that you not touch the boats in the yard due to their delicate condition. Visit the Lighthouse Historical Exhibit and learn about the history of our base. For more information call JoAnn King at 2774.

T-shirt, Botany CD & Cookbook Sale

The PTO is selling, Botany CD's (\$10), Cookbooks (\$10) and taking pre-paid T-shirt orders, \$8(child) \$10 (adults) at the NEX Atrium on Saturday, Oct. 11 from 9am to noon.

Come out and show your support for the W.T. Sampson kids!

Costume Ball Tickets On Sale!

The Spouses Seminar Committee and MWR present the first All Hands Costume Ball.

Tickets on sale at the NEX Saturday, Oct. 11 from 9am to noon. Costume Ball is Saturday, Oct. 25 from 6:30 to 11:30pm at the Bayview.

Force Protection

Every family member should treat telephone conversations as though anyone who wants to listen in is doing so. Do NOT discuss GTMO's mission with family or friends via telephone or internet.

Energy Conservation

The amount of solar radiation that reaches the Earth's surface in approximately 3 days equals roughly the total energy content of all known supplies of fossil fuels.

Water Conservation

Sept. 29 - Oct 5

| | |
|------------|---------------|
| Used | 7,119,000.0 |
| Daily avg. | 1,017,000.0 |
| Daily goal | 1,000,000 gal |

We were **\$2,261** over budget for the week.

GTMO SHOPPER

FOR SALE

(1) Dive tanks; 26" bike - FMI, call, Hector DWH 3468 or AWH 8381.

(1) Two recliners in good condition, \$40 each. Call (h)7961 or (w)7-2280.

(1) Halloween costume - "Sully" from Monsters Inc, size 4-8, \$10; Kids Soccer shoes size 1-1/2, \$2, size 3-1/2, \$5; Kids bike with foot brakes, as is (1 flat tire), \$3. FMI call 7009.

(1) Boys size 2 white Nike leather sneakers. Never worn - bought wrong size. \$15. Call 5654.

(2) Oak dining table and 4 side and 2 arm chairs, 7 piece set. Embossed apron solid oak pedestal, ball and claw feet. Comes with 6 matching chairs are double embossed with spindles and turnings. Excellent condition. Retail for \$650. Asking \$350 or best offer. Call AWH 7106.

(3) Dive Gear - Sea Quest BC, size M/L women's black and pink w/weight belt, regulator and tank, \$300 (\$350 w/wetsuit); US Diver BC - size L, men's black and blue w/weight belt, regulator and tank, \$300 (\$350 w/wetsuit); Wetsuits (XL and XXL), \$100 ea.; dive flag w/float, free with purchase of both sets of dive gear. Call 7528 after working hours.

(3) 4-in-1 white crib w/mattress - has all pieces & instructions. Only 1 year old, \$75. Call 5668.

(3) Items for sale - Roll-top Computer Desk, \$60; Glass End Tables, \$20; Rocking Recliners, \$150; Nightstands, \$5; Small Dresser, \$10. Call 7470, leave message.

(3) Metal frame bunk beds for sale \$140. Includes sheets comforters and valance. Please call 7778.

(3) Items for sale - Dresser-\$20; table and 4 chairs-\$20; armoire-\$20. Please call 7778.

(3) Washer/Dryer in good condition. \$250 for the set. FMI, call 7900.

VEHICLES/BOATS

(1) GTMO Special - 1983 Mazda Pick-up - engine just replaced; good transportation; needs tune up. \$1,000. Call Craig DWH 4235 or AWH 5716.

(1) 1988 Lincoln Town Car - leather interior, power windows, seats and mirrors. Runs great. \$2,500 OBO. Call Karyn, 7929 or 7-2192.

(2) Pontoon boat w/great motor and all accessories (incl. radio). Trailer incl. Water ready! \$2,000. Call 5795.

(3) 1989 Hyundai- GTMO Special. Runs Good. Cold R12 Air-conditioning. New Tires. Asking \$1,700. Call 7470 AWH, lv msg.

(3) 1984 Chevy Celebrity Stationwagon - GTMO SPECIAL - runs good, new water pump, alternator, battery, hoses, transmission lines and tires. \$1,000 OBO. Avail. Oct. 15th at Ferry Landing. Call after

working hours, 7528.

(3) 1986 Black Porche, \$5,500. Runs great, excellent condition, AC, manual transmission. Available Oct 14. Please call 7778 after 6pm.

(3) 1986 Oldsmobile - the last steel car. Body and engine in real good condition. Call Cher at 8057.

(3) 2001 Harley Davidson Sportster Sport 1200. Less than 800 miles, showroom condition. Price \$8,000. FMI, call 7054.

EMPLOYMENT

Choctaw Management Services seeks Nutritionist/Dietitians/Nurses - requires BS in Nutrition, Dietetics, Nursing or Home Economics. RN without BSN will be considered. Experience is prenatal, maternal or infant nutrition required. Registered Dietitian preferred. Experience with WIC desirable. Must have current driver's license. Call (210) 341-3336 for more information or visit our website at www.cmse.net.

Opening for a P/T Facilitator, 20-30 hours/week, at the Navy College Learning Center. Must possess a B.A./B.S. from an accredited college. Email resume to academic@gtmo.net or drop it by Room 11 on Chapel Hill. FMI, contact Ellen Soucy or Tracie Hathorn at 3997.

Columbia College is seeking a full time Administrative Assistant for its Guantanamo Bay operation. Salary depends on education and experience. Interested candidates should go to Columbia College's website to download an employment application: www.ccis.edu. FMI, contact Ellen Soucy, columbiacollege04@yahoo.com.

LCN is now accepting applications for Cashier and Customer Service Representative. Applications can be picked up at the LCN Customer Service Office. For more information, call 3744.

Columbia College is seeking qualified instructors to join our faculty. Columbia College will begin offering classes in Guantanamo Bay in January 2004. If you have a master's degree or PhD, in any subject area, please contact Ellen Soucy to discuss teaching opportunities, salary, etc. Call 7900 or email: columbiacollege04@yahoo.com.

SERVICES

Need a night out or just need a break? Call Jessa - Red Cross certified babysitter - 7876.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Breastfeeding Education and Support Group meeting October 27th from 6 to 8 pm at the Community Center.

Homeschoolers Home Education Network Meeting - Tuesday, Oct. 14, 6:30pm at the Fleet and Family Support Center. Open to everyone. FMI, contact Toni Anderson 7959

To all my dear friends in GTMO,

I just want to thank all for your thoughts, prayers, flowers, and donations. Without the support of my friends and family, I don't know how I could have ever gotten through this. Amber Jo, was my oldest child... and my best friend. Again, thanks and God Bless you all!

Rick

There will be a re-organizational meeting of the **RED HAT SOCIETY** (ladies over fifty) and their sisters, the **PINK HATS** (those who haven't attained the magic "50") on October 20, at 7pm at the Community Center. FMI, call Judy House 5288.

I have some extra Christmas Party Lite mail order catalogs. If you would like one, call me (Linda) at 7517 and leave message.

Columbia College, based in Columbia, Missouri, will offer Associate and Baccalaureate degree programs in GTMO starting Term III/03-04. Classes will commence in mid-January 2004. If you are interested in taking classes with Columbia College, please contact Ellen via email at: columbiacollege04@yahoo.com. FMI, please visit Columbia College's website at: www.ccis.edu.

WANTED

Looking for "drop-in" care for 2 1/2 year old daughter during medical appointments, meetings, etc. Please call, Lisa, 5654.

Wanted to buy - telescope. Call Cher at 8057.

YARD SALES

W.T. Sampson High School's National Honor Society will be having a garage sale at the Elementary School on Saturday, Oct. 18 from 6:00am-12:00pm

Sat., Oct. 11 - Caravella Point, 17A & B - Multifamily yard sale, 7am- no earlier birds.

Sunday, Oct. 12 - CC-26A, 8am -Back Yard Sale - just moved - way too much stuff to keep! Lots of household items, clothing, music. Enter through West Iguana cul-de-sac over hill into backyard. Selling everything quick and cheap.

PERSONALS

The PTO gives a big shark Thank You to all students and parents who worked so hard for the Holiday Catalog orders! Without you, it would not have been possible. Through your sweat and tears, the funds raised last year has been beaten this year! WOW! Stay tuned for our top sellers to be announced!

The PTO would like to again thank Debbie Sode for another kind donation! Your generosity is awesome!

Two weeks ago, the followings ladies surprised me with a wonderful baby shower. They touched me in a way that was very special, for that, my family and I would like to show our sincere appreciation by thanking all of you so much for your kindness and especially for taking the time from your family to make that day special for us. Our special thanks to: Mrs Paulette, Rosa, Lisa, Mary, Aletha and little princess, Marsheree, Arnika, Ester, Keisha and Ms Florence, Sharon, and Freddie. We love you and may God continue blessing you and your families. Loudie and Dalton.

Welcome Aboard!
It's A Girl!

Vanessa Isabel
Roque

Born September 19, 2003
6 lbs 14oz; 20"

to Heather and Richard Roque

SPY KIDS 3

Action/Adventure
1hr 25min

Starring:

Daryl Sabara
Alexa Vega
Sylvester Stallone
Antonio Banderas
George Clooney



At odds with the agency, Juni retires and strikes out on his own. But when his sister is trapped inside a new video game, he returns to service to help free her, defeat the game's mad creator-The Toymaker, and save the world.

FREDDY VS JASON

Horror/Thriller
1hr 32min

Starring:

Robert Englund
Ken Kirzinger
Monica Keena
Jason Ritter
Kelly Rowland



A group of teenagers find themselves stuck in the middle

of a battle between two forces of evil: silent stalker Jason Voorhees and gabby dream master Freddy Krueger, as the battle wages from Elm Street to a climactic finale fought at Camp Crystal Lake.

THE RUNDOWN

Action/Adventure
1hr 30min

Starring

The Rock
Sean William Scott
Rosario Dawson
Christopher Walken



When Travis, the son of an underworld kingpin, disappears in the Amazon in search of a priceless artifact, Beck, the kingpin's retrieval expert, is sent to get him. Despite their hostility-and their love for the same woman-the two must eventually join forces to fight the evil head of a gold-mining corporation who is after the same treasure.

Movies

FRIDAY, OCT 10

8pm Spy Kids 3-D
PG 85min
3-D glasses for this film available, but limited

10pm The Rundown
PG13 1hr 30min

SATURDAY, OCT 11

8pm Secondhand Lions
PG 107min

10pm Freddy VS Jason
R 92min

SUNDAY, OCT 12

8pm S.W.A.T.
PG13 116min

MONDAY, OCT 13

8pm The Rundown
PG13 1hr 30min

TUESDAY, OCT 14

8pm Freddy VS Jason
R 92min

WEDNESDAY, OCT 15

8pm Spy Kids 3-D
PG13 116min

THURSDAY, OCT 16

8pm Freaky Friday
PG 97min



Air Brush Class

October 12th

2 to 4pm at Ceramics Shop
Space limited. Sign-up today.
FMI call 4795

FASE Challenge

Fitness Athletics Strength Endurance

October 11th

6pm at the base gym

4 participants per team

Teams run an obstacle course testing their fitness, athletic ability, strength, and endurance. Fast team wins!

Awards for 1st, 2nd and 3rd place.

No entry fee. FMI call 2193

Columbus Day Fishing Tournament

October 10th - 13th

Start time 4pm Friday

End time 4pm Monday

Prize for 3 largest fish caught

FMI call 2345

MWR Halloween Goblin Golf Night Tournament

October 25th

Show time 6pm at the Golf Shack

\$10 per cart, \$5 per club set

Open to first 36 registered participants

FMI Call 2193

Parent's Night Out

October 18th 6:30pm to Midnight

A reservation fee of \$2.50 is due by October 15th to hold a spot for your child(ren). An additional fee of \$1.50 is due for each additional child. The reservation fee is non-refundable. One hour-\$2.50, two hours-\$5.00 and three or more hours-\$12.00

FMI Call 3664

For more information on any of the events listed above, call 5225.